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# Still no deal on rent laws, but don't panic

**Waiting.** Albany is yet to strike a deal to restore laws protecting city tenants, but lawmakers say to keep calm.

There was little, if any, progress Wednesday in the state capital toward a deal to restore long-standing protections for New York City tenants.

But there was consensus on one thing: Don't panic!

The consoling advice came from every corner, including the newest iteration of Albany's three men in a room: Gov. Andrew Cuomo, Democratic State Assembly Speaker Carl Heastie and Senate Republican Majority Leader John Flanagan.

"We're getting nowhere fast," said Assemblyman Keith Wright (D-Harlem).

Cuomo has the power to and says he will keep extending the current legislative session, which was to close Wednesday. For Democrats and Republicans, this means their summer vacation and plans with their families feel the crush.

Heastie said Dems are "prepared to be here to do what has to be done for the conference, however long that may take."

And Flanagan, who represents parts of Suffolk County, declared: "I am prepared to be here with my colleagues until we get the people's business done."

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**"We're getting nowhere fast."**

Assemblyman Keith Wright

Mayor Bill de Blasio has called the politicians' failure "Albany at its worst." He's gone as far as to say the city has no "partner" in the capital with Cuomo.

De Blasio and tenant groups have accused Cuomo of holding the rent bill hostage by tying it to passage of a school choice tax credit for families who send their kids to private or religious schools.

The tenants want the end of vacancy decontrol, which allows landlords to jack up stabilized units' rents when a tenant leaves and other changes.

The impasse means tenant protections will continue to erode, the Metropolitan Council on Housing said.

"Merely renewing the rent and eviction protection laws in their current weakened form guarantees that they will erode to insignificance over the next few years. If that happens, the finger of blame will point directly at the governor of New York state," said the MTC's Michael McKee.

At the very least, all involved expect the expired laws to be back in place.

The city's big landlord group even echoes the assurances.

"There is no need to create mass hysteria about this," said Rent Stabilization Association spokesman Vito Signorile.

Earlier in the week, Signorile's group warned landlords to "act responsibly."

"RSA members should assume that the rent laws will be renewed in the days following expiration," the group wrote in a statement.

"Tenant advocates and their allies will be watching every owner and will be ready to report owners who erroneously believe that the rights of tenants are lessened if the rent laws expire."

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"We can see her from our office window and we refer to her as 'the lady,' like we work near the lady. I like that spot in the office; it's the perfect view of her, it's the ideal New York view. I've never actually been there, but I look at her every day."

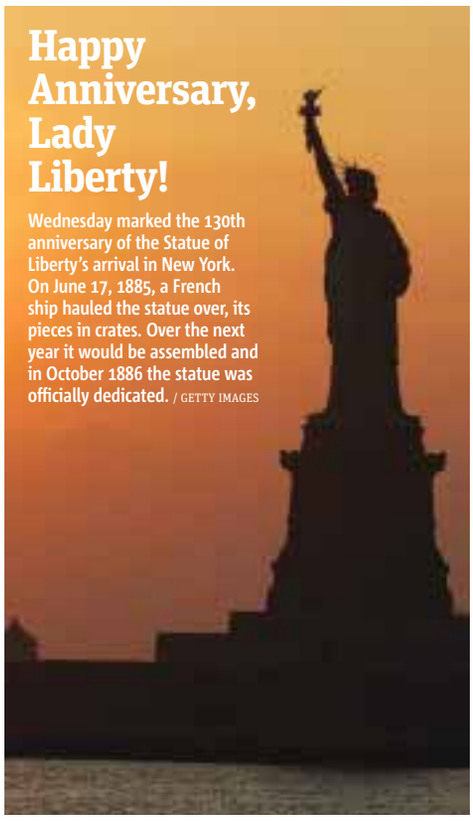
Kirk Scarbrough, 27

"When I went it was the first time I was on a boat, so I didn't know we had to do all that to get there. So I was distracted and I wanted to go into the crown part, but it was after they closed all that off. It was cool to see it up close and personal. I felt closer to America's history. You get that sense of freedom."

Ro-Jéan Binda, 20, Queens

## Happy Anniversary, Lady Liberty!

Wednesday marked the 130th anniversary of the Statue of Liberty's arrival in New York. On June 17, 1885, a French ship hauled the statue over, its pieces in crates. Over the next year it would be assembled and in October 1886 the statue was officially dedicated. / GETTY IMAGES



"It epitomizes the liberty of the U.S."

Dayle Harrington, 58, Halifax, Nova Scotia

## Scrooges. Trio of postal workers busted for ripping off 'Santa'

Federal authorities have accused three U.S. postal workers of being Scrooges, by writing fake letters to Santa Claus to get Christmas gifts meant for poor children.

Terry Jackson, 22, Mahogany Strickland, 23, and Nickyeves Saintalbord, 28, all worked on the U.S. Postal Service's "Operation Santa" program in 2013, according to a criminal complaint made public on Wednesday in federal court in New York.

Under the program, underprivileged children write letters to Santa asking for holiday gifts, which are received and processed by the postal service. Individuals can "adopt" the children and buy them gifts. In 2013, according to the complaint, the postal service received more than 300,000 letters and processed more than 7,000 requests. Fewer than half were fulfilled.

According to U.S. authorities, Jackson, Strickland and Saintalbord wrote numerous letters pretending to be poor children and brought them to the main post office facility in Manhattan, which is the center of the "Operation Santa" program.

The three workers made copies of the letters to ensure they would be available at the desk where customers adopt gift requests, the complaint said. The three ended up receiving laptop computers, tablets, clothing and other items, according to the complaint.

In interviews with an agent with the U.S. Postal Service's Office of Inspector General, all three workers admitted to writing multiple letters, the complaint said.

They were arrested on Wednesday morning and expected to make an initial court appearance later in the day.

In addition, Strickland and Saintalbord were also accused of relabeling gifts for children with their own addresses, and redirecting packages to their homes. REUTERS

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## Auto dealers to pay $14 million for illegal sales

Three New York auto dealers have agreed to pay nearly $14 million to customers who were unlawfully sold credit repair, identity theft protection and other services along with their vehicles, state officials said on Wednesday.

Some 15,000 customers of the jointly owned Paragon Honda in Woodside, Paragon Acura and White Plains Honda, in New York City and Westchester County, will receive restitution payments as part of the settlement reached with New York Attorney General Eric Schneiderman.

"When consumers shop for a car, they deserve to be dealt with honestly and fairly — and not to be misled by auto dealers who use deceptive tactics to fleece their own customers," he said in a statement. REUTERS

# Accused ISIS conspirator attacks FBI agent with knife

**Staten Island.** The man was arrested for planning a terror attack in New York.

A Staten Island man who authorities say was planning a terror attack in New York stabbed an FBI agent with a knife as investigators searched his home early Wednesday morning.

Fareed Mumuni, 21, was arrested for allegedly planning a terrorist attack in the New York area on behalf of ISIS, authorities said.

While the FBI-NYPD Joint Terrorism Task Force searched Mumuni's home he came at an officer with a large kitchen knife. The agent suffered minor injuries.

Mumuni supposedly admitted to planning the attack, keeping one knife wrapped in a T-shirt in his bed and another in his mother's vehicle, according to court documents.

He "espouses violent jihadist beliefs" said an FBI report.

After his arrest, Mumuni reportedly told investigators that he "pledged allegiance" to ISIS and intended to join the group in ISIS-controlled territories.

He went on to state that if his attempts to join ISIS were thwarted he would attack law enforcement officials.

Munther Omar Saleh, Mumuni's accused co-conspirator, and others were arrested Saturday for "attempting to provide material support and resources" to ISIS, the complaint says.

Saleh searched for notable New York City tourist attractions and emailed himself information on how to build a pressure cooker bomb, such as the one used in the 2013 Boston Marathon bombings.

He was also arrested while reportedly attacking an officer with a knife, authorities said.

The pair discussed detonating a bomb, then running over officers, seizing their weapons and using them against other victims. Neither of the men have yet to carry out this plan.

Mumuni was held without bail. If convicted, he can face 20 years in prison for attempting to murder a federal officer.

The knife the suspect allegedly used to stab an FBI officer / FBI

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**"Use a bomb and then to fight afterward."**

The accused ISIS conspirator, speaking to his friend

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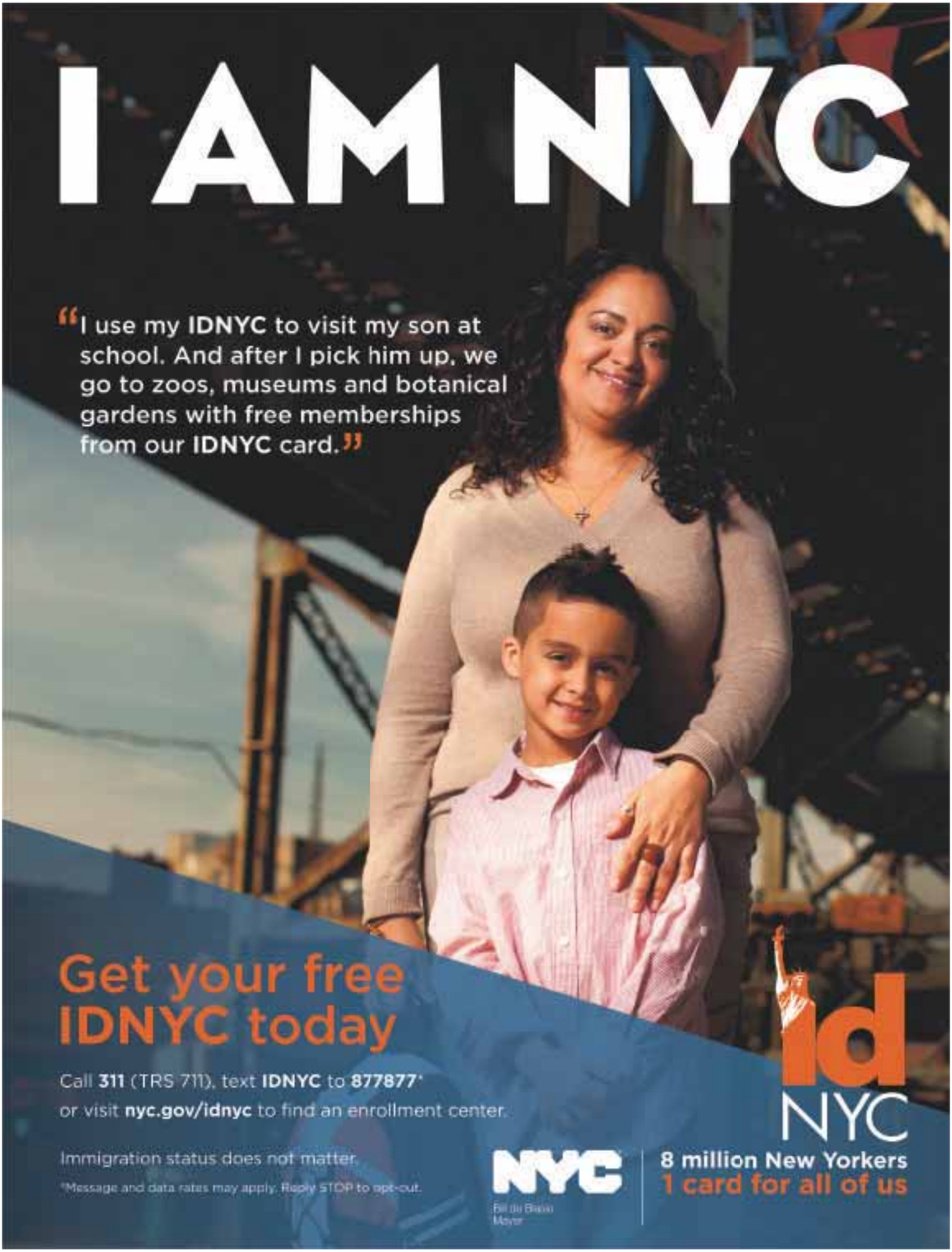
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# Odds. Bookmakers bet escapees will be caught within a month

Will escaped killers Richard Matt and David Sweat stay free?

Don't bet on it. That's what the bookies at Mytopsportsbooks.com are saying, at least.

Even though the manhunt is now in its 13th day, analysts from the betting website think the odds that Matt and Sweat will be caught are a measly 1-10.

Bookmakers have very little faith in the two men who cut their way through a steel wall out of Clinton Correctional Facility in Dannemora, New York, on June 6 with the odds that the escapees being picked up one month from their escape at 1-2.

The odds that they will be arrested in one to three months are at 4-1 and more than a year after their escape at 75-1.

The bookmaker predicts that they are most likely to get picked up stealing a car, at 8-1. Checking into a hotel came in at 10-1, robbing a bank at 50-1 and with their pants down at 1000-1.

Matt, left, and Sweat / PROVIDED

Female prison worker Joyce Mitchell is currently in custody for helping the inmates escape, and prosecutors said on Wednesday that she discussed with the convicts a murder-for-hire plot against her husband.

Mitchell and the two men, who she has been linked to romantically, discussed a plan to kill her husband, Lyle Mitchell, Clinton County District Attorney Andrew Wylie told reporters.

Following the comment, Mitchell's attorney, Stephen Johnston, said his client had warned her husband of the plot, CNN reported. "I don't believe she was involved in any attempt to kill her husband," Johnston told CNN.

Police on Wednesday expanded their search for Matt and Sweat to include the U.S. Marshals Service working along the Mexican border. Matt, who has a history of escape attempts, had fled to Mexico before.

Authorities have received more than 1,200 tips from the public as they search for the escapees. **REUTERS, METRO**

**Car accident**

## Pedestrian killed on Upper Manhattan street

A 24-year-old man was killed and another man seriously injured Tuesday night after being struck by two cars as they sprinted across an Upper Manhattan street.

The pedestrians were struck on West 207th Street and Ninth Avenue about 10 p.m. while attempting to run across the road outside a painted crosswalk, several outlets reported.

Both victims were found in the street with trauma to both the head and body.

Police said the driver of a Ford Explorer applied his brakes, but could not stop in time.

Both pedestrians were thrown across the road where they were then hit by a Toyota sedan.

The second pedestrian was listed in serious condition. **MEGAN FU**

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# Billy Joel bumped for the pope at MSG

**Piano man.** Billy Joel has switched his concert night.

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Billy Joel is movin' out to make way for the pope!

The New York singer, who is supposed to have a monthly regular residency at Madison Square Garden, has been bumped off the stage by the pontiff for his date in September.

Joel was set to perform on Sept. 25 at MSG, but organizers announced this week he'd be switched to the next night so that Pope Francis can appear on the same day he is expected to address the United Nations.

Only a handful of concerts and events have ever been rescheduled at the Garden, but organizers were willing to make an exception for the pope, who has a packed schedule while touring the U.S. for the first time since being elected to the top post of the Vatican.

While the pope's schedule is yet to be officially confirmed, he is expected to arrive stateside Sept. 22. He will address Congress and deliver a mass in Washington, D.C. before stops in New York and Philadelphia.

Joel broke the news by tweeting out to his fans that the concert had been rescheduled with an accompanying photo of Pope Francis, leading fans to commend him for his "graciousness." METRO

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# ISIS. Car bombs injure 50 in Yemeni capital

Smoke rises from Al-Qubbatyn mosque, which belongs to the Houthi Ansarullah movement, after a car bomb attack in Sanaa, Yemen. / GETTY IMAGES

Car bombs killed or injured at least 50 people near mosques and the headquarters of Yemen's dominant Houthi group in Sanaa on Wednesday, in coordinated attacks claimed by Islamic State.

The four blasts rocked the capital as Saudi-led forces conducted more airstrikes against Houthi military bases across Yemen, and delegates attending peace talks in Switzerland reported no progress on the second day of a U.N.-sponsored push for a Ramadan truce.

A security official said at least 50 people were killed or wounded in the attacks on the Hashush mosque, the Kibsi mosque, the al-Qubah al-Khadra mosque and the political bureau of the Ansarullah movement of the Houthis, who belong to the Zaydi sect of Shiite Islam.

"The explosion was so loud, I thought it was caused by an airstrike," said a man in his 70s named Ali, who had just left a mosque when a bomb went off.

"I returned and found cars burning, people screaming and wounded people all over."

"The soldiers of the Islamic State in Yemen, in a wave of military operations as revenge for the Muslims against the Houthi apostates, [detonated] four car bombs near the centers of Houthi apostasy," an Islamic State statement claimed. REUTERS

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## Uber driver is employee, not contractor: California Labor Commission

A San Francisco-based driver for smartphone-based ride-hailing service Uber is an employee, not a contractor, according to a ruling by the California Labor Commission.

The ruling was the latest in a host of legal and regulatory challenges facing Uber and other highly valued startups in the U.S. and other countries.

The commission said Uber is "involved in every aspect of the operation."

Classifying Uber drivers as employees opens the company up to considerably higher costs, including Social Security, workers' compensation and unemployment insurance. That could affect its valuation, currently above $40 billion, and the valuation of other companies that rely on large networks of individuals to provide rides, clean houses and perform other services.

Uber had argued that its drivers are independent contractors, not employees, and that it is "nothing more than a neutral technology platform."

But the commission said Uber controls the tools drivers use, monitors their approval ratings and terminates their access to the system if their ratings fall below 4.6 stars.

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# 4 things you need to know

## 2 Fed says US economy still strong enough to handle rate hike

The economy is growing moderately and likely strong enough to support an interest rate increase by the end of the year, Federal Reserve Bank officials indicated.

The economy is on track to grow between 1.8 percent and 2.0 percent this year, down from the 2.3-2.7 percent range forecast in March, according to the latest policy statement and new projections issued by the central bank.

The Fed also said labor markets continued to improve, although unemployment is expected to be slightly higher at the end of the year than previously forecast in March. REUTERS

## 3 FAA, Amazon see drone use in a year

U.S. commercial drone operations could take flight on a large scale within a year, as federal regulators finalize rules for widespread operations by companies including Amazon.com, according to congressional testimony.

A Federal Aviation Administration official said the agency expects to finalize regulations over the next 12 months. This would be a substantially shorter period than previous forecasts that had anticipated rules allowing commercial operations by the end of 2016 or the beginning of 2017. REUTERS

## 4 Washington subway system has serious safety shortfalls

Washington's troubled subway system suffers from serious safety lapses and needs to improve immediately, the Federal Transit Administration said.

The agency found 54 shortfalls at the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority, or Metro, with all but 10 in its subway, it said in a report.

The sprawling rail-and-bus system is not unsafe but needs to emphasize implementing safety procedures that are already in place, said Therese McMillan of the FTA. REUTERS

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# Rodent. Man claims to have found fried rat in KFC tender meal

If you're a big fan of Kentucky Fried Chicken, then this story might make you a little squeamish.

A man in California ordered a three-piece chicken tender meal and discovered something in his box that did not taste — or look — like KFC's tender white meat.

Devorise Dixon of Watts, California, found an oddly shaped piece of deep-fried food that appears to have the shape of a rat.

According to Dixon's Facebook post, he went to KFC to speak to the manager and she apologized for everything. He plans on taking legal action.

KFC responded to the post, stating they take customer claims seriously and they are in the process of an ongoing investigation.

"KFC takes customer claims very seriously, and we are continuing to investigate this matter. Our chicken tenders often vary in size and shape, and we currently have no evidence to support this claim. We are aggressively trying to reach Mr. Dixon, and we request that he return to the restaurant with the product for testing, or call us at 1-800-Call-KFC."

An oddly shaped piece of deep-fried food that appears to have the shape of a rat. / DEVORISE DIXON OF WATTS

Since Dixon posted the photos and video to his Facebook they have gone viral. If his claim is true, we're positive the "finger lickin' good" fast-food chicken giant will get hit hard with a lawsuit.

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# 100-foot-high piles of snow won't melt until July

DPW crews are still working to clear the snow farm that remains in the Seaport District of Boston. / NICOLAUS CZARNECKI, METRO

**Vile.** The wrath of one of the worst winters in Boston history lingers in disgusting piles that will last into July.

You would think a snow farm from February wouldn't have a snowman's chance in hell of hanging around until July.

But if you venture down to Tide Street in the Seaport or get off I-90 at the Allston/Brighton exit, you'll see the remainders of the most historic snowfall in Massachusetts since 1827.

They are vile mounds of filth decorated with city grime and household garbage. The wrath of February's blizzards often arrived on Sunday nights and with Monday being trash and recycling pickup days for many neighborhoods, much of the garbage was buried in several feet of snow each week.

"Right now, we've disposed of about 130 tons of trash and debris," Department of Public Works employee Danny Nee said. "Nothing about what is down [at the Seaport farm] is normal or has been done before. Usually we get some garbage when we plow, but the size and scope of this year was impossible to predict."

There were at least eight massive piles of blizzard bounty, most of them around 100 feet high and as wide as every vacant lot that housed them.

**Quoted**

**"If you were going to tell me we'd be dealing with snow farms in mid-June into July? Give me a break. I'd say that's impossible."** Danny Nee

As we approach mid-June, the remnants are holding strong, and you can expect them to stay put past the Fourth of July.

"First off, if you were going to tell me we were going to get 10 feet of snow in 25 days, I'd have said you were nuts," Nee said. "Then if you were going to tell me we'd be dealing with snow farms in mid-June into July? Give me a break. I'd say that's impossible."

The DPW was reluctant to dump the snow piles into the ocean, even though they got the green light to do so after the second storm.

So instead, crews worked 24/7 to pile snow on top of piles in order to clear precious space for, you guessed it, more snow.

Each storm had DPW workers certain that they were maxed out and had no more space for more snow. After each storm, they surprised themselves by making more room.

The foul pile in the Seaport has shrunk by about 25 percent in the last two weeks, but the warmer weather doesn't facilitate the melting process the way one might guess.

NATE HOMAN, METRO

**Headsets**

## Virtual reality dominates at gaming show

Virtual reality gaming, once a distant concept, became the new battleground at this year's E3 industry convention, with developers seeking to win over fans with their immersive headsets and accessories.

Microsoft, Sony and virtual reality company Oculus are squaring off at the Electronic Entertainment Expo in Los Angeles, promoting their virtual reality accessories.

Dan Ackerman, an editor at online technology and consumer electronics review site CNET, said he believed the future for virtual reality might finally be here for consumers.

"Sony has the Morpheus headset that should work with the PlayStation 4," he said, referring to Sony's popular video game console.

"Microsoft has the Hololens, which is very experimental, a more augmented reality and ... Oculus is the market leader. They were the first guys with workable hardware which should be available to buy early next year."

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## 1 Take that, Hollywood's glass ceiling

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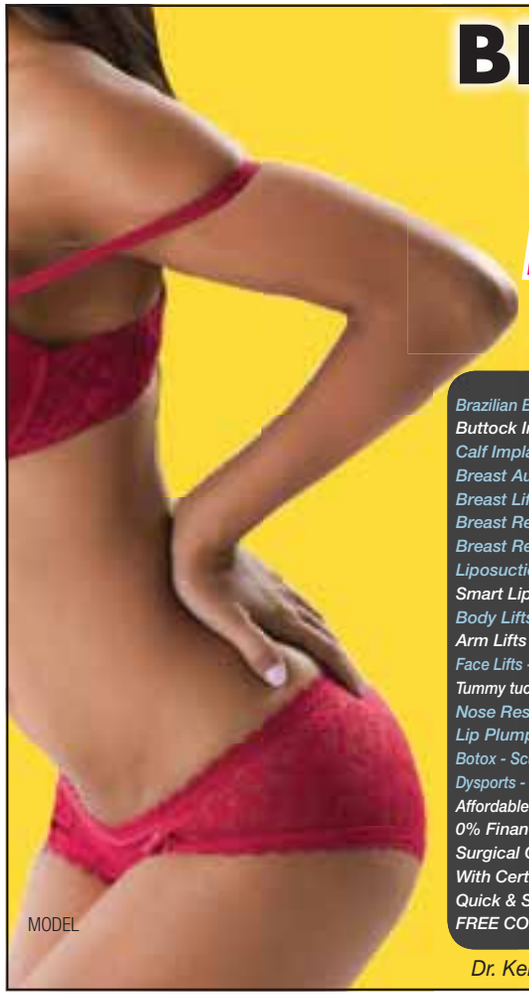
Sadly, this is big news. It shouldn't be, but it is. According to the Hollywood Reporter, an actress in a major studio movie will earn more than her male co-star. That actress is Jennifer Lawrence, yes, so you're probably thinking it's not so surprising. Except that her co-star is Mr. Current Box Office Champ himself, Chris Pratt. The "Hunger Games" star is set to earn $8 million more than the "Jurassic World" star in the upcoming sci-fi flick "Passengers." Which means all gender pay-gap issues have now been obliterated, and we never have to talk about it again because equality yay, right? Oh wait, you mean one instance of someone super-famous earning a lot of money doesn't solve everything? Dang. But still, good for J.Law.

## 2 Charlize Theron and Sean Penn call it quits

Well, that was fast. Charlize Theron and Sean Penn have reportedly broken up, calling off their engagement after a year and a half of dating. Theron, according to Us Weekly's sources, was apparently the one to do the dumping. Sad news, sure, but I can't say I'm all that surprised. A previously marriage-averse star comes out of a nearly decade-long relationship (to Stuart Townsend), jumps into a new one and then is engaged in practically no time? Those are not what some in the head-shrinking profession would call stable, long-term decision-making conditions. Also, Penn was super-open and effusive about the relationship (by his standards) in the press, so you just knew something was up. Still, tough break, kids.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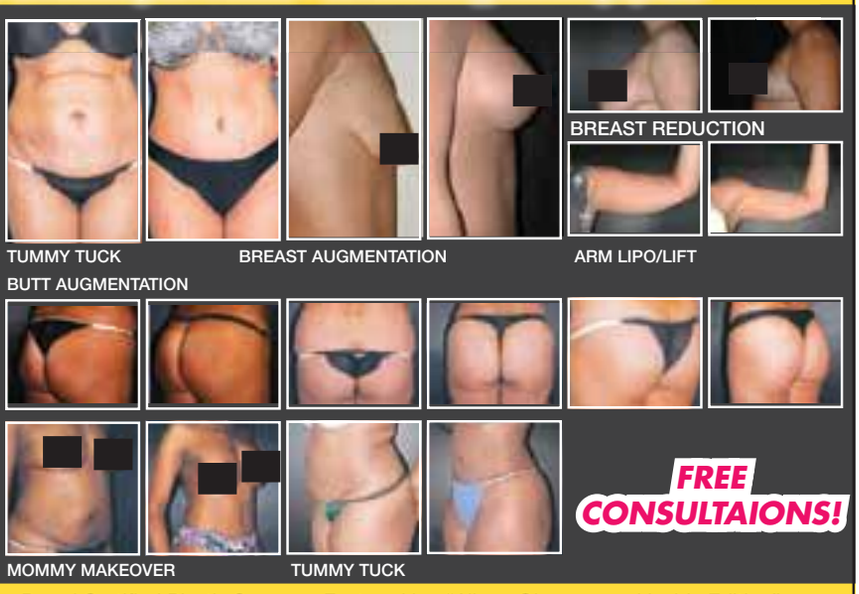


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# Emma Stone has something to confess

While we debate the "are they or aren't they" factor of Emma Stone and mumbly, bearded, British sometimes-boyfriend Andrew Garfield, there's some career-related news about Stone that's just as intriguing — and downright shocking, honestly. Stone confesses to WSJ magazine that she passed up the chance to be in the new all-female "Ghostbusters" team led by Kristen Wiig and Melissa McCarthy. Excuse me? "The script was really funny. It just didn't feel like the right time for me. A franchise is a big commitment — it's a whole thing," she says. "I think maybe I need a minute before I dive back into that water." Sure, but … it's "Ghostbusters." Who wouldn't want to be a Ghostbuster?

You won't see these ladies together on the big screen anytime soon.

**Daily video**

## Rethinking '80s movie pranks

As the guys from "Entourage" recently learned all too painfully, society changes in ways that make some forms of humor seem out of touch and — as College Humor points out in this video — downright rape-y. Each and every idea from films like "Revenge of the Nerds," "Porkies" and "Police Academy" turns out to be "technically a sex crime." Who knew? So how do they compare to pranks from this more modern, enlightened era? Spoiler alert: We haven't actually come all that far.

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# Finally, it's happened to me

**Netflix.** Patience has paid off for Lea DeLaria.

Lea DeLaria's experience with "Orange Is the New Black" has been a bit of an emotional roller coaster. In fact, she started off by not getting the gig.

"I auditioned for them twice, and they said, 'There isn't a part for you,'" says DeLaria. "I literally quit show business at that point, and I moved to London, where I have a really good singing career. But by the time I got there, there were a thousand messages saying, 'You have to come back. They've created a role for you.'"

Before long, that role — Big Boo — was very much a character, and the show was a hit. "I was having the time of my life with this great group of people," she says. "And the next thing we know, we're picked up for Season 4, and there's a SAG Award sitting on my mantle. It's crazy."

The pinnacle of that climb has come in the recently released third season, for which DeLaria was made a series regular, a distinction she hadn't previously enjoyed. "I've been doing this a long time, and this is the first time I've been a series regular," DeLaria says. "I've recurred on many, many, many, many things, and it just feels so cool to have it happen — and to have it happen this late in my life is amazing."

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DeLaria clowns around with Taryn Manning in Season 3 of "Orange Is the New Black," now streaming. / NETFLIX

**One more thing**

For Lea DeLaria, "Orange Is the New Black" is more than just another gig. "I started as the first openly gay comic to perform on television in America. My entertainment was always closely tied to my politics, so I feel like I've died and gone to lezzie feminist heaven," she says.

"You're thumbing your nose at the accepted norm that we are basically spoon-fed that there's a certain way you have to look in order to be a girl. This show addresses that really, really strongly. It basically says, 'It's OK to be you.'"

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# Playing the sweet sounds of Summer

**Song.** Bill Ricchini says his newest album has a "happy-lonely tension."

Summer Fiction's new album, "Himalaya," came out Tuesday. / PROVIDED

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**Summer Fiction record release show**

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It's hard to believe that "Himalaya" tumbled out of this decade.

Airy and eerie, Summer Fiction's latest album has a sweet subtlety that feels all but extinct in 2015. And yet, if you've spent enough time on the boardwalk, it's easy to make yourself at home in Bill Ricchini's softened, sun-filtered melodies.

"It felt shimmery and sunny, but it didn't feel warm or hot. It felt a little chilly, like Wildwood in October," says Ricchini of the album, his second released under his solo project. "It had this tension, this pretty-ugly, happy-lonely tension."

Ricchini grew up in Northeast Philadelphia before moving to New York to pursue a music career. But "Himalaya" would require a new setting entirely. "I knew I wanted to make a record this year, but I wasn't really ready to make a record," admits Ricchini. "So I thought if I gave myself this deadline with an adventure, I'd be able to do it. It's a little ironic that I live in Williamsburg and I went to England to make a record, but there you have it."

Recorded in a country house just north of Manchester, "Himalaya" was co-produced with the help of friend and collaborator Brian Christinzio of BC Camplight. The result is a beautiful, nuanced collection of songs that are a little heartbroken, a little hopeful and fully human.

"This is what happened when we lived together for two weeks, making music, eating and drinking in a room," says Ricchini. "It was like the Rolling Stones with 'Exile on Main St.,' minus the smack."

**Album**

## Old-school flavor

There's an elegant cohesiveness to "Himalaya," but it came at a price: Some of Ricchini's favorite tracks didn't make the cut.

"Certain groups of songs work together, and some don't — and that can be a little heartbreaking," he says. "Maybe that's old-school, maybe people don't listen to records that way, but I like to listen to albums that way."

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# 'GAME OF THRONES' NEEDS TO DIAL BACK THE SORROW PORN

On the "Game of Thrones" season capper, Lena Headey's Cersei, center, received a punishment that was lingered on for far too long. / HBO

I hated the "Game of Thrones" finale. I didn't want to, but I did. It was uneven, and it was bleak, even by the standards of the show. It felt like we spent a ton of time rehashing why the bad people were really, really bad and ignoring the story lines everyone wanted to see.

The issue with the finale for me [SPOILERS] wasn't the major death at the end. Aside from the usual "please, someone turn on the lights," my issues were the Arya murder scene and Cersei's walk — perfect examples of piling on the misery past the point of good storytelling.

Arya is my favorite character, but the scene where she murders Meryn Trant in the brothel was overkill. We know he's awful. We know he's a pedophile. We know he totally deserves what he gets. Adding in the other two little girls to be beaten was overkill.

Cersei was another issue. I know actress Lena Headey has defended her, saying that she's done terrible things, but she didn't deserve that extra, ultra, mind-numbingly slow walk of shame. A walk of some sort, yes. Um, lady, you murdered King Robert and Ned Stark. You raised a monster. You were cruel to one brother and slept with the other. You've lied, gotten people arrested … You definitely deserve something.

The way it was shot was the issue for me. I have no problem with nudity. I don't care about her body double. The scene in the book makes perfect sense. Headey did a fine job with her performance. My issue is how long they lingered on it. It was absolutely overkill. How long do we have to watch a woman be humiliated and spit on? I'm not talking about too much nudity here. I know what show I'm watching. I'm talking about the beating a dead horse to a bloody pulp.

Here's the thing: You've created a trope to break down cliches in television. No one is safe. Things are shocking. Great. However, when you overdo it, you become your own cliche. You have to have some sort of balance in a show. If it's all doom and gloom and there is never a light, you're pretty much just showing us sorrow porn.

I'm still going to watch. I'm just hoping for a better run in Season 6.

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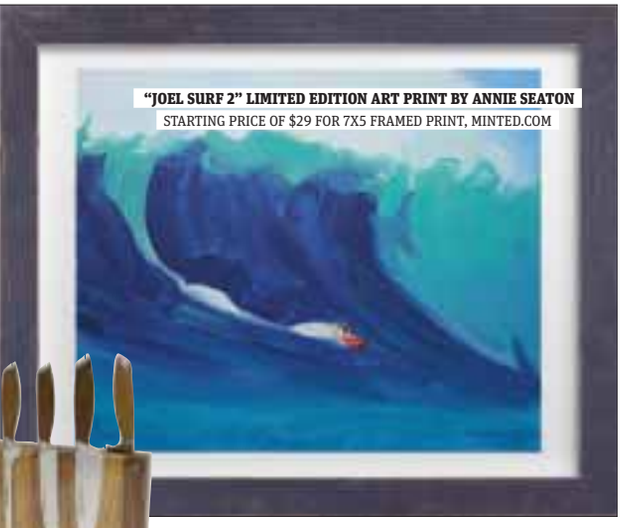

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# Your Pride party guide

Whether your speed is body paint or Broadway, there's a Pride Week event for you.

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Dance on the Pier GETTY IMAGES

We hope you're practicing your Vogue moves and readying that boa for prime time, because Pride Week begins this Sunday. Here are some of the can't-miss events to get your social calendar started.

What's better than Broadway? The same stars, in less clothing. On June 21, for the 25th edition of **Broadway Bares**, an annual fundraiser for Broadway Cares/Equity Fights AIDS, more than 150 dancers will strip down in themed numbers on the Hammerstein Ballroom stage.

The W New York — Downtown (8 Albany St.) is hosting the "bitchiest" game night with **Basic B*tches Bingo** on June 22. In charge of the balls will be Linda Simpson, who is definitely not a basic anything. Prizes include free cocktails, tickets to Dance on the Pier, hotel stays and a trip to New Orleans. Tickets are $30 and include two cocktails.

Also on June 22, bank some choice calories to work off later in the week at The Center's **Garden Party,** from 6-10 p.m. at Hudson River Park's Pier 84. Sample dozens of the city's premier restaurants, alongside seasonal cocktails (it's open bar all night) as you take in the sunset.

Harlem's own Pride Week doesn't kick off — it sails, with **Pride Ride: Rockin' the Rivers** on June 26 at 9 p.m. from Pier 83. DJs Missy B and Stormin Norman get the Hudson River riled up on this Circle Line cruise, with food included in the $50 ticket price.

The **Pride Kickoff Rally** mixes serious takes on Pride themes with comedians — this year's host is Tituss Burgess ("Unbreakable Kimmy Schmidt") — big-name performers (Ashanti will open the event) and, of course, a whole lot of glitter. The rally returns to Pier 26 on June 26 at 7 p.m.

We're not sure why it took so long, but NYC Pride is finally debuting an official Friday night party with Fantasy: A Burlesque Masquerade on June 26, set in the only space that could do it justice: the Diamond Horseshoe. The headliner is the U.K.'s Freemasons, joined by Australia's Kitty Glitter, and there will be special performances all night long (consider your footwear carefully, this party goes from 10 p.m.-5 a.m.). Tickets start at $39, and everyone is encouraged to wear a mask.

There will be plenty of massive dance parties during the week, but Hudson Terrace's **VIP Rooftop Party** on June 27 will have all the music, just less of the crowds. Dance in three unique spaces — the climate-controlled (for hot or rainy weather) rooftop, Indoor Salon and Outdoor Terrace — to four DJs. Plus, the event is open bar from 2-3 p.m., and the party goes until 10 p.m.

Pride's two ladies-only events take place June 27, beginning at 5 p.m. with the **New York City Dyke March.** Don't expect floats or elaborate costumes, as this is a demonstration for women's rights rather than a parade, and all women are welcome to take part. After the event, it's time for the ladies-only dance party **Teaze** on Pier 26, with DJ sets by Sherock and Whitney Day, then on to the after-after party, Pier Pressure, at Slate nightclub.

Whether you're marching, or one of the million or so people watching, **NYC Pride March** is the only way to spend the last afternoon of Pride Week. The parade on June 28 sets off at noon on 36th Street and Fifth Avenue and goes south to Christopher Street, so plan your outdoor brunch/curbside seat/balcony toasts accordingly.

After the parade, the party people will be heading to **Dance on the Pier** at Pier 26, where the music starts at 3 p.m. with headliner Ariana Grande and DJs Wayne G, The Cube Guys and Ralphi Rosario.

But if you've had enough sun, or want to catch Darren Criss on Broadway before he hands over the glitter eyeshadow to Taye Diggs next month, we bet the special late show of **"Hedwig and the Angry Inch"** at 7 p.m. will be one to remember.

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# #DadBond

Take the old man out to one of these spots for a memorable Father's Day.

EVA KIS

## Seamstress

**339 E. 75th St.**

Co-founded by the bartender of the moment, Dead Rabbit alum Pamela Wiznitzer, this Upper East Side bar has barely opened and is already on the radar of boozy foodies. Dad is sure to find a new favorite among the 50-deep cocktail list, and the food comes from an equally serious kitchen that cooks its pork shank to fall-off-the-bone tenderness, among other all-American fare.

## Montana's Trail House

**445 Troutman St., Bushwick**

For the rugged dad who longs for the big country, this auto repair shop-turned-restaurant is like eating in a cool upstate New York barn. He'll appreciate the DIY attitude that goes into everything here, from the rooftop herb garden to the chef making his own hot sauce from fermented ghost peppers and the bartender's signature switchel, a traditional mountain-style soda. Make this your brunch stop for the baked French toast or the fried chicken biscuit with apple jam.

## The Polo Bar

**1 E. 55th St.**

True to the style of its founder, Ralph Lauren, this place sidesteps highbrow fuss for accessible, well-executed dishes. The equestrian decor, like his fashions, is instantly classic, and dad will be happy to leave his tie in the closet while enjoying the casual-refined version of gathering around the dinner table. He can't go wrong with the signature burger, made with beef from Lauren's Colorado ranch.

## Keens Steakhouse

**72 W. 36th St., Midtown West**

If this isn't already one of dad's favorite places, he would nod his approval after learning that it's been open since 1885. (The James Beard Awards recognized it as an American classic in 2013.) But it's not just the Porterhouse that's worth putting on a bib for — this place serves a mutton chop that deserves respect. And in case your dad is also a scotch man, their single malt collection numbers north of 200 varieties.

## State Fair Meadowlands

**East Rutherford, New Jersey**

What dad really wants on Father's Day is to spend time with you, so do something together that you probably haven't since you were a kid and take him to the state fair. State Fair Meadowlands, which returns this Friday for 17 days, is the largest fair in the metro area with 150 rides and attractions. Walk the midway, eat too much funnel cake, see the pigs race and the acrobats fly, and remember a simpler time for both of you.

THE POLO BAR

# A summer of free culture

At the Brooklyn Botanic Garden you can see native plants and trees, an herb garden and the popular Japanese hill-and-pond garden. GETTY IMAGES

Spent all your money on boring stuff (e.g., rent)? You can still have fun at the city's biggest attractions.

Between Summer Fridays and spontaneous "sick days" when the weather is particularly nice, it's time to enjoy the city's cultural riches. And even though this is NYC, it doesn't have to cost anything at all if you plan ahead.

Even the most prestigious museums have days when their admission is free. Here's our guide to hacking this city so you can have an amazing, nearly cost-free summer with our guide to the best free activities.

From 5:45 to 7:45 p.m. on Saturdays, admission to the famed **Guggenheim** (1071 Fifth Ave.) is pay-what-you-wish, and this summer is a great time to take advantage. Their current exhibition, "Storylines," features works by younger artists, mostly created after 2005, and explores new ways of creating an artistic narrative of race, gender, sexuality and politics.

The admission policy at the **Metropolitan Museum of Art** (1000 Fifth Ave.) is always "suggested donation," so to avoid feeling like a guilty moocher, throw them a buck (or two). But if you're really skint, they'll still spot you a pass to more exhibits and events than you could possibly see in a single day. The facade of the museum has just been restored with seating added along the street, so you can discuss all the cool stuff you just saw over a spread from the nearby food carts.

Do you ever look at the world around you and think, hmm, why do flies and birds both have wings? Well, if you go to the **American Museum of Natural History** (Central Park West and 79th St.) you can learn about convergent evolution. The suggested admission price is $22, but if you can't swing it, they'll still give you a tour of the universe and our own little corner of it.

Admission to the **Bronx Museum of the Arts** (1040 Grand Concourse) is totally free, so make the trek to check out some truly boundary-pushing artwork here, from exhibits like "Secrets, Boundaries and Video Games," about the invisible lines that separate our inner and outer selves, and "Please Touch," Raul Mourao's exploration of NYC's "characters, architecture, objects and accidents."

The **National Museum of the American Indian** (1 Bowling Green, Brooklyn) contains one of the world's most expansive collections of Native American artifacts. But beyond the objects and photographs, the museum is also a living history exhibit, with educational activities and performing art programs. And admission is totally free.

Entry to the **9/11 Memorial and Museum** (200 Liberty St.) is completely free for visitors on Tuesdays after 5 p.m., but get there earlier: A limited number of tickets are available and are doled out on a first-come, first-served basis at the museum starting at 4 p.m. You can also reserve in advance online the Monday before your visit starting at 9 a.m.

From 4 to 8 p.m. on Fridays, admission to the **Museum of Modern Art** (11 W. 53rd St.) is free, thanks to a sponsorship deal with Uniqlo. Your ticket includes access to all of MoMa's galleries, exhibitions and films. This is your must-see summer cultural destination, with special exhibitions of Yoko Ono, Andy Warhol, Martin Scorsese movie posters and more. SARA SCHERR

## Commune with nature

A branch of the Met, **The Cloisters** (99 Margaret Corbin Drive, Washington Heights), is a piece of living history: The architecture and gardens are modeled in the medieval European style, creating a true oasis in the city.

What's summer about if not communing with your inner child at **The Bronx Zoo** (2300 Southern Blvd.)? The entry fee is pay-what-you-wish on Wednesdays, but certain exhibits, such as the Butterfly Garden and the Congo Gorilla Forest, are not included.

On Fridays after 4 p.m., admission to the **New York Aquarium** (602 Surf Ave., Brooklyn) is pay-what-you-wish. So if sharks, rays and turtles are your favorite creatures and you're saving your pennies for other weekend activities, this is a great option for a mellow Friday night.

Yes, everybody turns out for the cherry blossoms at the **Brooklyn Botanic Garden** (990 Washington Ave.), but their sprawling grounds are a year-round oasis, with hundreds of plant varieties. It's free all day on Tuesdays, and on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to noon.

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Copies of the proposed franchise agreement may be viewed at the Department of Information Technology and Telecommunications, 2 Metrotech Center, 4th Floor, Brooklyn, New York 11201, from June 22, 2015 through July 6, 2015, between the hours of 9:30 AM and 3:30 PM, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. Hard copies of the proposed franchise agreement may be obtained, by appointment, at a cost of $.25 per page. All payments shall be made at the time of pickup by check or money order made payable to the New York City Department of Finance. The proposed franchise agreement may also be obtained in PDF form at no cost, by email request. Interested parties should contact Brett Sikoff at (718) 403-6722 or by email at BSikoff@doitt.nyc.gov.

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The Hearing may be cablecast on NYC Media Group channels.

# Listings

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PARTY

## Mermaid Parade

**June 20, 1 p.m.**
**Coney Island**
**Free, ConeyIsland.com**

Sailors, pirates, mermaids and all other creatures of the sea (even the zombie ones) are welcome at this annual seaside parade. You'll have to cheer or flaunt your costume extra hard at this year's parade, since the organizers couldn't find an afterparty venue to contain their literally legendary event. The march begins at West 21st Street and Surf Avenue and heads west, but it'll be tough to miss even among Coney Island's usual colorful characters. EVA KIS

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EVENT

## Thrillist's Best Day of Your Life

**June 20, 1-6 p.m., various locations in the Lower East Side**
**$70, Events.Thrillist.com/bestday15**

This Saturday will be the longest day of the year, and Thrillist is packing as much fun (and food, and booze) into it as possible. The "absurdity-fueled event" is taking over a dozen restaurants and pubs, including a cereal bar (inspired by childhood mornings) and vodka cereal martinis (your mornings now) at Lucky Jack's, fresh oysters, aged whiskey and timeless jazz at Grey Lady, games, dumplings and sake bombs at Two-Bit's Retro Arcade, beer&pretzel cupcakes(?!) from Prohibition Bakery, pizza from Rizzo's and "a hell of a lot more." EVA KIS

BASEBALL

## Citi Field Sleepover

**June 20, 6:30 p.m.**
**123-01 Roosevelt Ave., Queens**
**$85 adults, $70 kids 5-12, Mets.com/sleepover**

The Mets just released another 100 tickets for their sold-out annual sleepover in the outfield. It's BYO sleeping bags (though attendees will receive a free blanket from Bedgear) and tents, if you're feeling fancy. Watch the Mets take on the Braves in Atlanta on the jumbotron, followed by "The Lego Movie," plus games, appearances by former Mets players, concessions and breakfast in the morning. EVA KIS

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## Solstice

**June 20, 7 a.m.-7:30 p.m.**
**Times Square**
**Free, TimesSquareNYC.org**

Did you know that the Summer Solstice is also International Yoga Day? Celebrate both with a commitment to wellness among thousands of fellow New Yorkers at Solstice in Times Square: Athleta Mind Over Madness Yoga, with over 12 hours of free sessions led by the city's top yogis. While the event is free with registration, donations benefit three yoga charities.

FOOD

## Saveur Summer Cookout

**June 23, 6:30-9:30 p.m.**
**Boat Basin Cafe**
**79th St. at the Hudson River**
**$99, Saveur.com**

If not having your own backyard has been holding you back from a proper summer feast, get to Saveur's Summer Cookout. The party, now in its sixth year, has taken over the Boat Basin Café on the water at 79th Street for grilled favorites from over 20 local, national and international celebrity chefs like Scott Conant, Alex Guarnaschelli, Christina Tosi and Sarah Simmons.

MUSIC

## Bang on a Can Marathon

**June 21, noon-10 p.m.**
**Winter Garden, Brookfield Place**
**200 Vesey St.**
**Free, BangOnACan.org**

Some people have rhythm, but few can keep it up for 10 hours. That's what you can expect from the explosive musical artists at this Sunday's Bang on a Can Marathon, part of the River to River Festival at Brookfield Place.

CONVENTION

## The Seed Experience

**June 20-21, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.**
**Brooklyn Expo Center**
**72 Noble St., Brooklyn**
**$30-$50, TheSeed.nyc**

What better place for a forum on eco-consciousness than in the heart of Brooklyn? Celebrate your hemp and yoga lifestyle at the fourth annual Seed Experience; browse 100 exhibitors, discuss the benefits of a plant-based diet and sustainable products.

DRINK

## Lions, Tigers and Brews

**June 19 & 20, 8-11 p.m.**
**Central Park Zoo, 64th Street and Fifth Avenue**
**$49, LionsTigersAndBrews.com**

While the animals are fast asleep, you and your friends can let loose like real party animals. Starting at 8 p.m. (or 7, if you're VIP), give your souvenir glass a workout with 60 craft beers while strolling the colonnade, listening to music, playing themed games and sampling some tasty treats.

MUSIC

## NKOTB feat. TLC & Nelly

**June 21 & 22, 7 p.m.**
**Madison Square Garden**
**4 Pennsylvania Plaza**
**$20-$125, Ticketmaster.com**

Replay the soundtrack of your awkward but heartfelt adolescence at Madison Square Garden. To cap off the nostalgia bomb, the experience wouldn't be complete without featured appearances from Nelly and TLC.

FESTIVAL

## NOLAfunk

**June 20, 4 p.m.**
**Governor's Island**
**$35-$55, GovernorsClubNY.com**

Pretend you're jamming on the banks of the Mississippi while enjoying the Manhattan skyline during the second annual NOLAfunk Crawfish and Music Fest. Until midnight, stuff your maw with your share of the 5,000 pounds of boiled crawfish on hand while listening to the James Brown Dance Party and indulging in Cajun food, craft beer and other New Orleans delights.

MUSIC

## The Bacon Brothers

**June 22 & 23, 8 p.m.**
**City Winery, 155 Varick St.**
**$35-$100, CityWinery.com**

You can have the distinct honor of being just one degree from Kevin Bacon next week when he performs with his band, The Bacon Brothers. Before he was "Footloose," Bacon was first and foremost a musician, founding his band in 1995.

FOOD

## 7 Deadly Sins

**Through June 21**
**Restaurant Marc Forgione**
**134 Reade St.**
**$77.77, MarcForgione.com**

To celebrate the seventh anniversary of his namesake restaurant, the renowned chef is offering a tasting menu based on the seven deadly sins. While the menu is a surprise for attendees to discover as it progresses, we do know that each course will be accompanied by an interactive element; get a cocktail paired with each plate for another $77.

DANCE

## NYC Dance Week

**Through June 27**
**Various times and locations, Free, NYCdanceweek.org**

Polish your dance skills for the club by taking free lessons during this 10-day festival of dance and fitness labs. Participants include some of the city's most established dance companies, including the Alvin Ailey American Dance Company, which is hosting free daily classes through Sunday. All you need to do is register online to pick up tips on ballet, chi dance, swing, hip-hop and more. T. MICHELLE MURPHY

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# Beach paradise on Haiti

Several cruise lines have private Caribbean islands, and Royal Caribbean's is Labadee, a day resort on a peninsula in the northern part of Haiti.

It may not be an island, per se, but it is a massive playground for cruisers. Located on a whopping 260 acres, the beach is part amusement park, part resort (though the hotel rooms are actually on the cruise ship).

When your ship is in port here, you can spend the whole day lazing in the sun and enjoying the white sand, palm trees and pale blue water without booking a shore excursion.

There are a variety of bars to choose from, with everything from buckets of beers to frozen cocktails, and the restaurants serve casual American barbecue that feels fitting for the beach-holiday setting. Think picnic tables and a buffet of burgers, ribs, hot dogs and corn on the cob. After lunch, you can stroll through the marketplace, where you'll find Haitian crafts for sale and local bands performing.

There are rows and rows of lounge chairs waiting and, if you're one of the first people off the ship when you arrive, it may feel like there's no way this place could ever fill up. There's also a water park with trampolines and water slides sitting right in the surf, as well as a splash park on the land for little kids, with buckets that dump water on the children and toys fitted with hoses and sprays. For a fee, you can also take a ride on the zip line, which stretches out over the water, or even the roller coaster, both of which are fun activities for teens, tweens and grown-ups.

If you want a little more adventure, there are plenty of options — from snorkeling and kayaking to parasailing and boat rides to quieter beaches further afield. **INSIGHT GUIDES | SHERRI EISENBERG**

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## How to upgrade your Labadee experience

- The easiest way to have a more enjoyable experience is to book a cabana. The palapa-topped cabanas (which cost approximately $200 for the day) fill up fast — in most cases, before you get off the ship, and in some, before the cruise even sets sail.
- Having an open-air bungalow of your own helps give you some private space and a guaranteed stretch of shade, as well as waiter service. Your butler will bring cold water and lunch, and the cabanas come with towels and floats to use in the surf.
- The locations vary: Some are on rocks sitting over the surf, and others are on the beach behind rows of lounge chairs.

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Nearly 2 million visitors a year browse the galleries and boutiques. The district has nine theaters and more than 50 restaurants. Market Square has free events, from Sunday morning yoga to the Tuesday afternoon kids' play. On Friday nights, the Andy Warhol Museum has half-price admission. Check availability for half-price tickets for shows at **www.livingpittsburgh.com**.

Adjacent to downtown is the Strip District (**www.neighborsinthestrip.com**). Not at all salacious, its name comes from its location between the Allegheny River on one side and steep hills on the other. It's a thriving, lively neighborhood.

The Heinz History Center and Western Pennsylvania Sports Museum is dedicated to all things Pittsburgh. The Society for Contemporary Craft on Smallman Street presents free exhibits of cutting-edge works by diverse and new talent.

Another great neighborhood is East Liberty, along Penn Avenue. You'll find a more experimental vibe here, with studios and theaters next door to an urban forestry center and a Southeast Asian cooking school. The Penn Avenue First Friday is a community street party with free events and discounted food and drink (**www.pennavenue.org**).

The Carnegie Science Center is worth the price (adults $19, children $12, over 65 pay just $5 on Tuesdays with 20 percent off at the cafe). As entertaining for adults as it is for kids, there are four floors of unusual hands-on exhibits about water, space and robotics.

For more information on budget accommodation, admission packages and more ideas for things to do, visit **www.visitpittsburgh.com**.

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## Horoscope

**♊ Gemini | May 22-June 20**
Self-analysis will help you determine what you want. Think about your goals, and make modifications that will help you achieve them.

**♋ Cancer | June 21-July 22**
You may be in a vulnerable position if you give in to temptation. Compliments are always welcome, but they may hide an agenda.

**♌ Leo | July 23-Aug. 22**
Before rushing into a life-altering decision, make sure that you have all the information necessary. Don't burn bridges in your pursuit of new people.

**♍ Virgo | Aug. 23-Sept. 22**
Don't worry about what your opponents are up to. You are on a fast track to success, and nothing can stop you.

**♎ Libra | Sept. 23-Oct. 22**
Tension will mount at home if you don't spend some alone time. You'll have regrets if you go head-to-head with an unreasonable family member.

**♏ Scorpio |Oct. 23-Nov. 21**
You'll have countless distractions today. Discipline and determination will be required if you intend to get to the finish line.

**♐ Sagittarius | Nov. 22-Dec. 21** You will be surprised by the ripple effect that will take place if you help others. Your status and popularity will make you a desired companion.

**♑ Capricorn | Dec. 22-Jan. 20** Make sure that you stay in sync with what's going on. You will be blamed for someone else's carelessness if you aren't careful.

**♒ Aquarius | Jan. 21-Feb. 18** Romance is in your stars, and making special plans for two or getting out and meeting someone new and exciting is encouraged.

**♓ Pisces | Feb. 19-March 20**
You are in control of your future. By being resourceful, you can attract partners to help turn your dreams into a going concern.

**♈ Aries | March 21-April 20**
Depression will set in if you overspend. Get a realistic budget in place and start lowering your debt load. Prudent spending habits will ease your stress.

**♉ Taurus | April 21-May 21**
You should attend a social gathering with people you find stimulating. A trip to an unusual location will trigger an idea. EUGENIA LAST

## Sudoku: Easy and hard

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**How to play**
Fill in the grid so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

## Letters to the editor

### *Senators should vote for Equal Pay bill*

Women are being underpaid and no one's talking about it. In fact, we're legally at risk of losing our jobs if we discuss our salaries with our co-workers. The Equal Pay Bill seeks to protect employees' free speech in regard to their salaries, require employers to list the minimum salary in job postings and pay employees according to their skills and responsibilities regardless of gender. We have only until July 21st to urge our senators to support this bill, and I'm disappointed Metro hasn't covered this. This is a conversation we can't afford to keep quiet.
JENNIFER CONNOLLY, VIA EMAIL

### *Sodium info hasn't stopped anyone*

**Re: 'Awareness is no bad thing for salt intake' (Metro, June 17)** I agree with letter writer Tabatha Lopez's utterly brilliant suggestion that we should have labels on prepared foods that indicate their salt content due to all the social evils this might help to allay.

Oh, wait. We do.

It's called "sodium." It's presented on food labels in both milligrams and percent of daily recommended intake, and such labeling was imposed by the FDA about 20 years ago ... yet we're still getting collectively fatter.
MICHAEL T. MCGOVERN, VIA EMAIL

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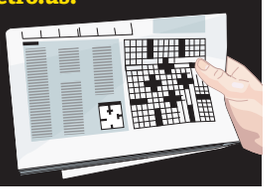

## Crossword

### Across
1 Chest muscles
5 Hooray for me! (hyph.)
9 Diva's melody
13 Plant parasite
15 Culture dish goo
16 Sweet cherry
17 Pester playfully
18 Now, to Caesar
19 Give the eye
20 Egg producer
21 Sled event
23 Wouldn't commit
25 Throw hard
26 Roomiest
27 In a clear manner
30 Forum hello
31 Hazard a guess
32 Leaf locales
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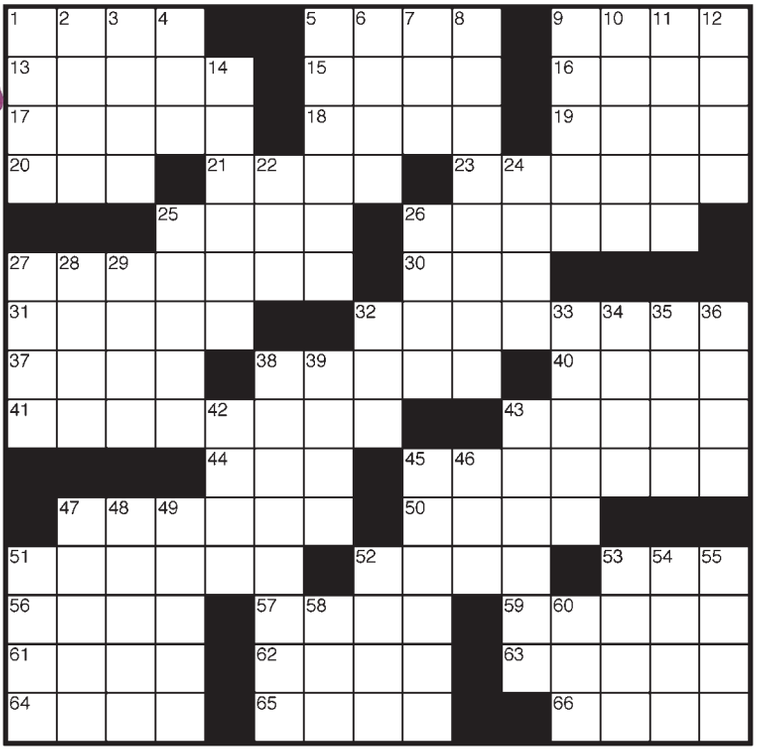

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## C.C. gets the start

C.C. Sabathia (3-7, 5.38 ERA) will get the start Thursday in the Yankees' series finale with the Marlins in the Bronx. Miami will counter with Mat Latos (2-4, 5.44 ERA). The Yankees, neck-and-neck with Tampa Bay for first place in the AL East, will begin a huge series against the Tigers on Friday.

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## Meet the Matz

The Triple-A's Pacific Coast League is known for wildly inflated hitting stats thanks to the ballparks. So Steven Matz's 2.30 ERA, 1.15 WHIP and 81-30 strikeout-walk ratio over 78 1/3 innings are even more impressive than they sound. The contending Mets would do very well to get Matz in their rotation, especially after dumping Dillon Gee and watching Jon Niese struggle. It's already been speculated the promotion will happen around July 1.

## Seager bomb

The deeper Jimmy Rollins sinks into the grave, the more urgency there is in adding Corey Seager. Rollins is currently sporting a brutal sub-.600 OPS and .261 OBP – numbers that aren't likely to drastically turn around at age 36. Meanwhile, Seager is the heir apparent. He's a 21-year-old natural shortstop who is hitting .298 with four homers in 166 Triple-A plate appearances.

## Just say no

The July 31 trade deadline is fast approaching, with Cole Hamels as the hottest commodity. Once he goes, the Phillies should fill the hole in their rotation with Aaron Nola. It would be a bit unconventional for a player selected in the first round a year ago to start the season in Single-A and end it in the majors, but this is an unconventional season for the last-place Phillies. Nola has been nothing short of dominant on the farm, going 7-3 with a 1.88 ERA in 12 Double-A starts before Sunday's promotion to Triple-A.

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**NFL camp risers**

Looking good this spring:

- **Jameis Winston, QB, Bucs** — Reportedly latching on to Dirk Koetter's offense quickly. Has two stud receivers and a soft schedule.
- **Danny Woodhead, RB, Chargers** — Fully healthy off a fractured ankle, he'll play a big role behind pass-game deficient Melvin Gordon.

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Steven Matz may give the Mets and fantasy owners a boost. / GETTY IMAGES

# NBA. Lee done with Warriors, could possibly land with Knicks

Newly crowned NBA champion David Lee is not likely to return to help the Golden State Warriors defend their crown in 2015-16, according to ESPN.

Could this open the door for his return to the Knicks? It's certainly possible as Knicks boss Phil Jackson has plenty of room to maneuver this summer and the Warriors have, according to ESPN sources, agreed with Lee's agent to "come up with a good solution" when it comes to a new home for the power forward.

Lee was a good soldier for the Warriors despite seeing his minutes cut in half this past season due to the emergence of Draymond Green.

"I've actually gotten to see kind of the other side of the NBA," Lee told ESPN Radio. "I've always been the guy that's out there for 35 to 40 minutes. I've never really, I don't think, had the true respect for guys … to see guys that don't get a chance to play very often and come out and produce on a consistent basis — I never knew how difficult that was."

Lee averaged a double-double in points and rebounds in his final two years with the Knicks (2008-10). **MATT BURKE**

David Lee is on his way out of Oakland. / GETTY IMAGES

# Chambers Bay will challenge the world's best in US Open

**U.S. Open.** Jordan Spieth and Rory McIlroy are among favorites in this weekend's contest.

Rory McIlroy has the game to conquer an exceptionally tough golf course this weekend. / GETTY IMAGES

Prior to a U.S. Open, the discussion almost always centers around which of golf's super stars will play well enough to win golf's most coveted title.

But in this year's contest, even more than usual, the golf course could be the star attraction — regardless of whether Phil Mickelson completes the career grand slam or if Tiger Woods improbably wins his fourth title.

Chambers Bay, located along the Puget Sound in Washington state could just as well be located on the west coast of England. The links style course redefines undulation and offers golfers a true test. A test many of the games top pros are unhappy about.

"So I think it's just that it can be a tiring week," Henrik Stenson told reporters earlier this week, "because you can hit some really nice golf shots and ends up far, far away from the hole due to the design of the green complexes. At least in my mind, it's a challenge."

Stenson is still gunning for his first major title, his best finish a second at the 2013 British Open. But the reigning Masters champ, phenom Jordan Spieth (who has the second best Vegas odds at 7-1) welcomes the challenge of a ridiculous 7,585 yards.

"If you are going to talk negative about a place," he said, "you're almost throwing yourself out to begin with, because golf is a mental game."

Favored just a little above Spieth is Rory McIlroy, who certainly boasts a game that could tame Chambers Bay but has also been very inconsistent this season. He's missed cuts in PGA Tour and European events but has also won twice, the Wells Fargo Championship and the WGC-Cadillac Match Play Championship.

If McIlroy resembles the same golfer who was unstoppable down the stretch last year, he could run away with things. And if Phil Mickelson can put together four solid rounds, he could add the only missing trophy from his hall of fame career.

"Recently," Mickelson, a six-time U.S. Open runner up said, "I feel like I found the direction on getting that back, getting my swing plane back, making solid contact, hitting the shots that I expect to hit. … I feel like it's on the verge of coming around."

Among the bevy of other potential champions in men like Adam Scott, Jim Furyk, Ricky Fowler and others, Woods still has hope that he can play at a competitive level again.

"I've got three of these," Woods said with a smile when he spoke to the media this week. "I want to be out here. I want to play. I want to compete, and I want to win. And to me it's so much fun having a chance to win on the back nine on Sunday."

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**Who's the favorite?**

Here are the betting favorites in the tournament this week (according to MyTopSportsbooks.com):

- Rory McIlroy: 5-1
- Jordan Spieth: 7-1
- Dustin Johnson: 14-1
- Justin Rose: 18-1
- Rickie Fowler: 18-1
- Adam Scott: 20-1
- Phil Mickelson: 20-1
- Jason Day: 22-1

**Notable tee times**

Coverage of the 2015 U.S. Open begins at noon on Fox Sports1. Here are some of the groups to keep an eye on (Thursday and Friday tee times are listed):

- 10:33 a.m.-4:33 p.m. — Phil Mickelson, Bubba Watson, Angel Cabrera
- 5:17 p.m.-11:17 a.m. — Jordan Spieth, Jason Day, Justin Rose.
- 5:28 p.m.-11:28 a.m. — Tiger Woods, Rickie Fowler, Louis Oosthuizen
- 11:17 a.m.-5:17 p.m. — Dustin Johnson, Adam Scott, Sergio Garcia
- 11:28 a.m.-6:28 p.m. — Martin Kaymer, Gunn Yang, Rory McIlroy

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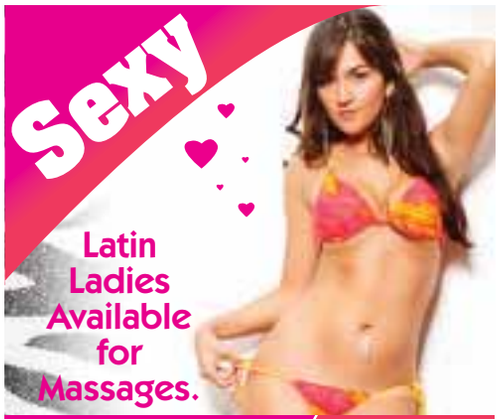

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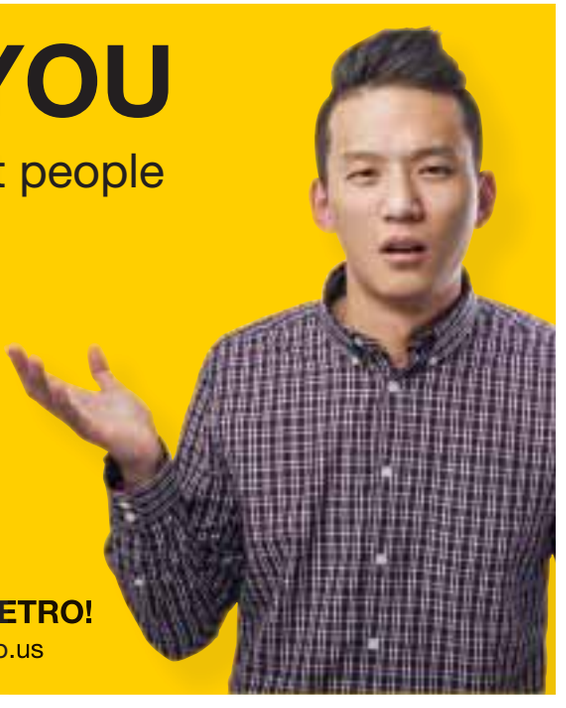

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# LOWEST PRICES & OUR BIGGEST ONE DAY SALE OF THE SEASON

## LOOK FOR OUR LOWEST PRICES ON SELECTED ITEMS STOREWIDE!

## SATURDAY, JUNE 20 SHOP 8AM-11PM (IT'S A SALE TOO BIG TO FIT IN A DAY!)

## ALSO SHOP FRIDAY, JUNE 19 FROM 8AM-10PM

HOURS MAY VARY BY STORE. VISIT MACYS.COM & CLICK ON *STORES* FOR LOCAL INFORMATION.

## FREE SHIPPING & FREE RETURNS AT MACYS.COM

FREE SHIPPING WITH $99 PURCHASE. FREE RETURNS BY MAIL OR IN-STORE. U.S. ONLY. EXCLUSIONS APPLY; DETAILS AT MACYS.COM/FREERETURNS

# DOORBUSTERS 8AM-2PM FRIDAY & SATURDAY 6 HOURS ONLY! GET HERE EARLY, WHILE THEY LAST!

**DOORBUSTER**
**EXTRA 25% OFF**
AMERICAN DESIGNER
**Doorbuster 110.63-243.75.**
Reg. $295-$650, after 2pm: 147.50-$325. Suits, sportcoats & blazers.
Shown: ★ 1837047.

**DOORBUSTER**
**60% OFF** DRESS SHIRTS
**Doorbuster $18-$22.**
Reg. $45-$55, after 2pm: 31.50-38.50. From Geoffrey Beene and Van Heusen. ★ 1284998.

**DOORBUSTER**
**17.99**
SPORTSHIRTS
Reg. $49-$55, after 2pm: 24.99. **Only at Macy's.**
Long-sleeve styles from Club Room & Alfani.

**DOORBUSTER**
**19.99** POLOS
Reg. 39.50, after 2pm: 29.99. **Only at Macy's.**
From INC International Concepts®. For example: ★ 1980124.

**DOORBUSTER**
**4 FOR $20** TEES
Reg. $15 ea., after 2pm 7.99 ea.
**Only at Macy's.** JA John Ashford crewneck and V-neck styles.
★ 1238644.

**DOORBUSTER**
**49.99** CLEARANCE SUITS
Orig.* $200-$320, after 2pm: 69.99. Pantsuits or skirtsuits from Le Suit & more. Misses & petites. Women's prices slightly higher.

**DOORBUSTER**
**2 FOR 19.99**
SELECT BRAS
Reg. $33-$40 ea., after 2pm: buy 2, get 1 free. From Bali®, Warner's®, Playtex® & more. Shown: Bali® Double Support Wirefree. ★ 3212.

**DOORBUSTER**
**BUY 1, GET 1 FREE**
ACCESSORIES FOR HER
**Doorbuster 4.50-$98 + 1 free.**
Orig.* $18-$98 ea., after 2pm: 4.50-73.50 ea. Clearance scarves, hats, belts & more.

**DOORBUSTER**
**60% OFF** SWIMWEAR
**Doorbuster 39.20-46.40.**
Reg. $98-$116. From Reebok and more. Misses.
★ 1864189.

**DOORBUSTER**
**39.99**
DIAMOND EARRINGS
Reg. $160, after 2pm: $56.
1/4 ct. t.w.‡ rose-cut in 18k gold over sterling silver.
★ 2170069.

**DOORBUSTER**
**$299**
DIAMOND EARRINGS
Reg. $1000, after 2pm: $490.
TruMiracle™ 3/4 ct. t.w.‡ in 14k white (★ 1146133) or yellow (★ 2104518) gold.

**DOORBUSTER**
**39.99** DESIGNER SNEAKERS FOR HER
Reg. $79-79.99, after 2pm: 59.99.
For example:
★ 1129600 & ★ 715653.

**DOORBUSTER 30% + 20% OFF**
SELECT KITCHEN ELECTRICS
**Doorbuster 21.99-715.99.** Reg. 39.99-1279.99, after 2pm: 29.99-899.99. Nespresso, #D121USBKNE1 (★ 798342), Cuisinart, #DCC-2650 (★ 550536) & Nutribullet, #NBR1201 (★ 728155).

**DOORBUSTER**
**17.99**
BELLA CHOICES
Reg. 39.99, after 2pm: 29.99.
Waffle maker, #13991 (★ 929041) and Rocket blender, #13330 (★ 330413).

**DOORBUSTER**
**70% OFF**
MEMORY FOAM
**Doorbuster 17.99-239.99.**
Reg. $60-$800, after 2pm: 29.99-479.99. Pillows and mattress toppers

**DOORBUSTER**
**59.99** 5-PC. SET
Reg. $200, after 2pm: 99.99.
**Only at Macy's.** Spinner luggage: Tag Springfield 27" spinner, 20" carry-on, duffel, tote and travel kit. ★ 1611059.

**DOORBUSTER 25% OFF** REGULAR & SALE PRICES
**SELECTIONS FOR HER: SPORTSWEAR FOR MISSES, PETITES & WOMEN**

**DOORBUSTER 20% OFF** REGULAR & SALE PRICES
**SELECTIONS FOR HER: FAMOUS MAKER & DESIGNER COLLECTIONS FOR MISSES, PETITES & WOMEN; DRESSES, SUITS & CAREER SPORTSWEAR**

## OR, EXTRA SAVINGS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY 8AM-2PM SAVINGS PASS DISCOUNTS DO NOT APPLY TO DOORBUSTERS.

★macy's WOW! $10 OFF
SELECT SALE & CLEARANCE APPAREL AND HOME ITEMS!
**(CANNOT BE USED ON DOORBUSTERS OR DEALS OF THE DAY)**
**$10 OFF**
**YOUR PURCHASE OF $25 OR MORE.**
**VALID 6/19 'TIL 2PM OR 6/20/15 'TIL 2PM.**
**LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER.**
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Excludes: Everyday Values (EDV), specials, super buys, cosmetics/fragrances, electrics/electronics, floor coverings, furniture, mattresses, rugs. Also excludes: athletic apparel, shoes & accessories; Dallas Cowboys merchandise, gift cards, jewelry trunk shows, Macy's Backstage merchandise/locations, New Era, Nike on Field, previous purchases, selected licensed depts., services, special orders, special purchases, macys.com. Cannot be combined with any savings pass/coupon, extra discount or credit offer, except opening a new Macy's account. Dollar savings are allocated as discounts off each eligible item, as shown on receipt. When you return an item, you forfeit the savings allocated to that item. This coupon has no cash value and may not be redeemed for cash, used to purchase gift cards or applied as payment or credit to your account. Purchase must be $25 or more, exclusive of tax & delivery fees.

★macy's WOW! $20 OFF
SELECT SALE & CLEARANCE APPAREL AND HOME ITEMS!
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**$20 OFF**
**YOUR PURCHASE OF $50 OR MORE.**
**VALID 6/19 'TIL 2PM OR 6/20/15 'TIL 2PM.**
**LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER.**
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